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Docket No. : 53788US011

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

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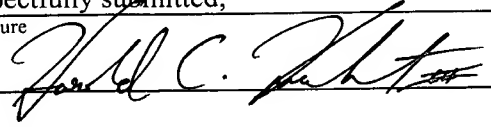
Inventor(s): Chia-Tie Ho and Clarence Fullbright, Jr.
Application No. : 09/710,036 Group Art Unit: 1711
Filed: November 10, 2000 Examiner: J. Cooney
Title: A FLEXIBLE POLYURETHANE MATERIAL **OFFICE OF PETITIONS**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

- 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**
- a. ☐ Previously submitted
 - i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - iii. ☐ Other _____
 - b. ☒ Enclosed
 - i. ☒ Amendment/Reply (2 pgs.)
 - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/Supplemental IDS
 - iv. ☒ Other Petition to Withdraw Application from Issue Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) (3 pgs. plus attachments.)
- ALSO Copy of Petition for Withdrawal of Holding of Abandonment Based on Failure to Receive Notice of Allowance or Petition to Accept Late Payment of Issue Fee under 37 CFR 1.137(A) filed on August 16, 2002.
- 2. ☐ A Request for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently.**
- 3. Fees** (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)
- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or credit any overpayments to: Deposit Account No. 13-3723. **A duplicate copy of this letter for fees processing is enclosed.**
 - i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
 - ii. ☒ Other Additional Independent Claim fee of \$84.00.

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Respectfully submitted,

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